



# **FORT DRUM BASIC LEADER COURSE PACKING LIST**

**as of October 1, 201**

**TA-50/ and  
Combat  
Equipment  
The following  
items are ALWAYS  
Required at Fort  
Drum, Basic  
Leader Course**



## ALWAYS REQUIRED

### INDIVIDUAL WEAPON WITH SLING

(Rifle. M16A2 or M4 only-STRIPPED (no



**MAGAZINES (7 Required)**

**NIGHT VISION GOOGLES WITH ALL APPROPRIATE BASIC ISSUE ITEMS (Unit issued) \* WITH RHINO MOUNT AND J-HOOK**



**APPROPRIATE BLANK FIRING ADAPTOR (BFA) FOR M16A2/M4 (Red for M16 and Yellow for M4)**



**WEAPON CLEANING KIT COMPLETE with CLP**

\*Soldiers will bring their M-16 or M-4 Rifle and Night Vision Goggles (NVGs) on Zero Day, **transported by the unit in a government vehicle. Weapons will be stripped of any optics, and those items will be left in the unit Arms Room.** Students will Fall In the formation with weapon slung at the low-ready. Units will pick up their Soldier's weapon and NVGs at a time to be determined (TBD) and

# ALWAYS REQUIRED



**ASSAULT  
PACK  
(with Name  
Tape sewn  
on )**



**LENSATIC  
COMPASS  
AND POUCH  
(Army issue, no  
GPS styles)  
NSN: 6605-01-196-  
6971)**

**HELMET (ACH) COMPLETE:** The ACH will be complete with ACU cover, 7 pad suspension system, retention system (chinstrap), camouflage band, and Night Vision Goggles (NVG) mount. Soldier's last name in block letters centered on the front of the camouflage band (may be offset with the NVG mount). Soldiers will not be required to have rank attached to camouflage cover beneath the NVG mount. [NO CAMO net or other unit specific items will be attached to ACH.]



**PAD SET  
SUSPENSION  
SYSTEM  
ACH**



**RETENTION STRAP  
PASGT**



**ACH  
BRACKET**



**CAT-EYES  
BAND  
PASGT**



**COVER,  
HELMET,  
CAMO  
PATTERN**



## ALWAYS REQUIRED



**IMPROVED OUTER TACTICAL VEST (IOTV) / INDIVIDUAL BODY ARMOR (IBA) without SAPI: The following components must be included: IOTV ( yoke/collar front and back ) IBA (neck protector, yoke and collar shell, and groin protector)**



**yoke and collar shell**



**neck protector**



**groin protector**

# **ALWAYS REQUIRED**



**MOLLE COMPLETE WITH NAME TAPE  
(rucksack, external frame, shoulder strap  
assembly, kidney pad,  
2x sustainment pouches)**



**EXTERNAL  
FRAME**



**ALICE PACK  
FRAME  
SHOULDER  
STRAP  
ASSEMBLY,  
LEFT AND  
RIGHT**



**KIDNEY PAD**

**OR**



**MOLDE  
D WAIST  
BELT**

**SUSTAINME  
NT  
POUCHES  
(2  
REQUIRED)**



# ALWAYS REQUIRED



**FIGHTING LOAD  
CARRIER (FLC)**

**\*Must have  
MOLLE Small  
Arms Cases,  
enough to  
carry  
6 magazines**



**M4 Small Arms Case**



**M16 Small Arms Case**



**Individual First Aid Kit  
(IFAK) COMPLETE (IFAK  
case, Insert with folding  
panels and cord attached,  
Two pair of latex gloves,  
Adhesive Tap Surgical 2"  
6's Roll, Bandage Gauze 4-  
1/2", Bandage Kit, Elastic,  
Tourniquet**



**HYDRATION  
SYSTEM (CAMEL  
BACK)/  
CIF-RFI ISSUE**

# ALWAYS REQUIRED



**ELBOW PADS  
CIF ISSUE**

**AN  
D**



**KNEE  
PADS  
CIF  
ISSUE**



**EAR  
PLUGS  
WITH  
CASE**



**FLASH LIGHT  
or HEAD  
LAMP WITH  
BATTERIES  
AND RED  
LENS**



## ALWAYS REQUIRED



**PONCHO**



**PONCHO LINER**



**EXTREME COLD/WET  
WEATHER JACKET LEVEL  
VI**

ECWCS GEN III L6  
JACKET,  
UNIVERSAL  
CAMOUFLAGE  
PATTERN MAIN BODY



**WET WEATHER PARKA AND  
TROUSERS**



## ALWAYS REQUIRED



### **SLEEPING BAG SYSTEM MODULAR BAG (COMPONENTS -5**

PATROL SLEEPING BAG,  
FOLIAGE GREEN;  
INTERMEDIATE C/W BAG,  
URBAN GRAY; STUFF STACK,  
LARGE, FOLIAGE GREEN;  
STUFF STACK, SMALL, FOLIAGE  
GREEN; BIVY COVER,  
UNIVERSAL CAMOUFLAGE  
PATTERN



### **WATERPROO F BAG (2 REQUIRED)**

**ALWAYS REQUIRED**

## **EYE PROTECTION (AUTHORIZED PROTECTIVE EYEWEAR LIST APPROVED ONLY)**

<http://www.peosoldier.army.mil/equipment/eyewear/>

**w/CLEAR and SHADED Lenses  
(with Inserts if applicable for eyeglass wearers)**



**ESS CROSSBOW**



**OAKLEY SI BALLISTIC M  
FRAME 2.0**



**REVISION SAWFLY**



**SMITH OPTICS AEGIS**



**UVEX GENESIS**



**UVEX XC**



**WILEY X PT-1**



**WILEY X SG-1**



**WILEY X TALON**

# **TA-50/ and Combat Equipment**

**WINTER PACKING LIST  
REQUIRED DURING THE  
FOLLOWING TIME PERIODS  
(1 OCTOBER - 30 APRIL)**

**STUDENTS WHO ATTEND  
EVEN ONE DAY DURING THE  
WINTER PERIODS ARE  
REQUIRED TO  
HAVE WINTER ITEMS**

# REQUIRED DURING WINTER MONTHS



**MICRO  
FLEECE CAP  
(with or  
without/ 10<sup>th</sup>  
MTN DIV  
logo)**



**GEN III ECWCS  
Issue SOFT SHELL  
COLD WEATHER  
JACKET with  
Name And US  
ARMY Tape and  
Rank  
and**

**GEN III ECWCS  
TROUSERS Issue**

**SOFT SHELL are  
LIGHTWEIGHT  
COLD WEATHER  
UNDERSHIRT AND  
DRAWERS (Silk)**



**GORTEX PARKA WITH  
RANK and NAME TAG,**

**OR**

**GORTEX  
TROUSER  
S**



# REQUIRED DURING WINTER MONTHS



OR



**GEN III - LEVEL2  
MID-WEIGHT CW  
UNDERSHIRT  
ECWCS GEN III  
LV2**

**POLYPRO  
TOP**

and



**GEN III - LEVEL2  
MID-WEIGHT CW  
DRAWERS  
ECWCS GEN III  
LV2**

OR



**POLYPR  
O  
BOTTOM**



**BALACLAV  
A**



**ECW COLD  
WEATHER BOOTS  
WITH INSERTS**

OR

**DANNER GORE-  
TEX BOOTS**





# REQUIRED DURING WINTER MONTHS

**ECW MITTENS (Bear Paws, WITH INSERTS)  
1 PAIR**



**UNIT  
ISSUED  
SNOWSHOES**



**NECK  
GAITER  
(BROWN  
ISSUE  
ONLY)**



**GLOVES,  
BLACK  
GORE-TEX**



**OR**

**CIF ISSUED  
EQUIVALENT**



**OR**

**COLD  
FLYERS  
GLOVES**



**CLOTHING BAG ISSUE  
AND REQUIRED  
EQUIPMENT  
The following  
items are ALWAYS  
Required at Fort  
Drum, Basic  
Leader Course**

# ALWAYS REQUIRED

**STANDARDS,  
Fort Drum Pamphlet  
600-5, dated 5  
March 2015;  
(commonly referred  
to as the Fort Drum  
Blue Book.)**



**COMMON  
ACCESS  
CARD  
(CAC)**

**<https://portal.drum.army.mil/docs/default.aspx>**

**You must log in with  
your CAC to access  
Fort Drum Pamphlet  
600-5 Scroll down to  
Pamphlets and select  
Pam 600-5a.**

**Select  
this  
one**

Pamphlets	
Name	Title
Pam 600-5a	Fort Drum Blue Book (12 May 14) Printable version - set printer to print 4 pages per sheet/double sided/flip on short edge
Pam 600-5	10th Mountain Division (LI) and Fort Drum Standards (Blue Book) (12 May 14)
Pam 600-8-8	Civilian Employee Sponsor's Guidebook (1 Sep 09)
Pam 672-10-1	Installation Volunteer Awards and Recognition Program (3 Oct 11)
Pam 005-1	Command Group Administrative Staff Procedures (15 Apr 08)



**ID TAGS w/ both short  
and long chain,  
(and allergy tags if  
applicable)**



# ALWAYS REQUIRED

**BOOTS, TAN  
Summer  
1 PAIR**



**BOOTS, TAN  
Winter  
(Intermediate Cold  
Weather)  
1 PAIR**



**BELT, TAN  
or GREEN  
(RIGGER OR  
RFI  
ISSUED)**



**AUTHORIZED  
PATROL CAP  
WITH  
NAMETAPE AND  
RANK**

**The Patrol Cap  
can have either  
Pin-On or Sew-  
On rank.)**

# ALWAYS REQUIRED



**AUTHORIZED JACKET  
TOP  
and  
AUTHORIZED TROUSERS  
REQUIRED 4 each**

**WITH NAME AND ARMY  
TAPE, UNIT PATCH (ACU)  
and rank**



**UNDERSHIRT,  
TAN  
REQUIRED 5**



**SOCKS, CUSHION  
SOLE (GREEN OR  
BLACK)  
REQUIRED 5  
PAIR**



**GLOVES, BLACK  
LEATHER  
WITH 2 PAIR OF  
INSERTS  
or CIF ISSUED  
GLOVES  
OF SIMILAR  
SIGN**





# ALWAYS REQUIRED



**IPFU/APFU  
JACKET  
1  
REQUIRED**



**IPFU/APFU  
TROUSERS  
1  
REQUIRED**



**IPFU/APFU  
SHORTS  
2  
REQUIRED**



**IPFU/APFU  
SHORT  
SLEEVE  
SHIRT  
2  
REQUIRED**



**IPFU/APFU  
LONG  
SLEEVE  
SHIRT  
1  
REQUIRED**

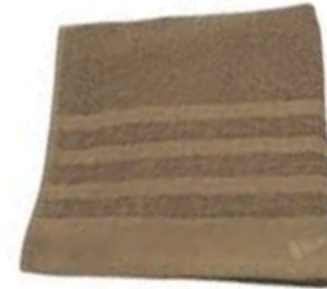
# ALWAYS REQUIRED



**RUNNING  
SHOES  
1 PAIR  
(SERVICEABLE)**



**SOCKS, WHITE  
(Solid, no  
markings, and  
above the ankle)  
REQUIRED 6  
PAIR**



**TOWEL,  
BROWN  
BATH  
2  
REQUIRED**



**SHOWER  
SHOES  
1 PAIR**



**WASH  
CLOTHS,  
BROWN  
2  
REQUIRED**



**EYEGLASSES  
WITH CASE  
(only if worn)  
2 pair  
REQUIRED**

# ALWAYS REQUIRED



**POCKET  
NOTEBOOK  
2  
REQUIRED**



**PENS  
2  
REQUIRED**



**PENCILS  
2  
REQUIRED**



**SUPER FINE  
POINT  
COLORED MAP  
MARKERS  
WITH ERASER  
MAKER  
(permanent  
only) 1 SET**



**SUNSCREEN with  
RATING OF SPF  
#15  
OR ABOVE  
(any brand)  
1 REQUIRED**

**FOOT  
POWDER,  
ANTIFUNGA  
L (any  
brand)  
1 REQUIRED**



**Clothes  
Hangars  
(not  
mismatched)  
10 REQUIRED**



# ALWAYS REQUIRED

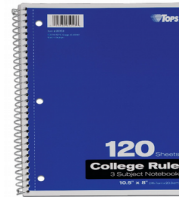


**WRIST  
WATCH  
1**

**REQUIRED**



**550  
CORD  
20 FEET**



**NOTEBOOK  
1  
REQUIRED**



**PADLOCK  
(KEY or  
COMBINATIO  
N)  
2 REQUIRED**



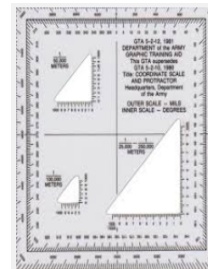
**BARRACKS BAG  
(LAUNDRY  
BAG)  
1 REQUIRED**



**DUFFEL  
BAG  
2  
REQUIRED**



**BUTCHER  
BLOCK PAPER  
(utilized for  
individual class)  
2 Sheets  
REQUIRED**



**PROTRACTO  
RS  
(GTA 05-02-  
012)  
2 REQUIRED**

**ALWAYS REQUIRED**

# **REQUIRED PERSONAL HYGIENE ITEMS FOR FEMALES ONLY**





# SUGGESTED ITEMS PERSONAL HYGIENE ITEMS FOR FEMALES ONLY

**Shaving  
cream no  
longer  
required**



**Medication  
(as  
Required)**



**Hair-holding devices may be used only for securing the hair. Soldiers will not place hair-holding devices in the hair for decorative purposes. All hair-holding devices must be plain and of a color as close to the soldier's hair as is possible or clear. Authorized devices include, but are not limited to, small, plain scrunchies (elastic hair bands covered with material), barrettes, combs, pins, clips, rubber bands, and hair bands. Devices that are conspicuous, excessive or decorative are prohibited. Some examples of prohibited devices include, but are not limited to, large, lacy scrunchies; beads, bows, or claw clips; clips, pins, or**

# **REQUIRED PERSONAL HYGIENE ITEMS FOR MALES ONLY**



## **SUGGESTED ITEMS PERSONAL HYGIENE ITEMS FOR MALES ONLY**



**Medication (as Required)**

# ACU REQUIRED AND AUTHORIZED ITEMS

## REQUIRED



U.S. ARMY

NAME



## AUTHORIZE D



# **CLOTHING BAG ISSUE AND REQUIRED EQUIPMENT**

**FOR FEMALES ONLY**

# ALWAYS REQUIRED



**BERET  
WITH  
FLASH AND  
UNIT CREST  
1  
REQUIRED**



**NECKTAB,  
UNIVERSAL**



**SOCKS,  
BLACK  
  
O  
R  
SHEER  
STOCKING  
S**



**SHOES  
,  
BLACK**

**JR  
ENLISTED / NCO**



**ASU  
SLACKS,  
LIGHT BLUE  
or AG 489**



**SMITH**

**ASU COAT, DARK BLUE  
or CLASS A COAT AG  
489/491  
(Properly fitted, clean,  
and presentable) WITH  
AWARDS AND  
DECORATIONS  
COMPLETE  
(Awards and**

**decorations worn must**

**ALWAYS REQUIRED**



**COAT, BLACK  
ALL  
WEATHER  
(WITH SOLID  
GOLD RANK  
AFFIXED)**



**BRASS RANK  
AFFIXED TO  
BLACK ALL  
WEATHER  
COAT**



**SHIRT, WHITE  
or AG 415,  
SHORT-  
SLEEVED**



**SHIRT, WHITE  
or AG 415,  
LONG-  
SLEEVED**



**SHOULDE  
R BOARDS  
(CPL,  
SGT)**

**BRASS  
RANK (SPC)**



**PLACED ON  
THE WHITE  
SHIRT**



**BELT  
BLACK WEB  
WITH  
BRASS TIP  
AND SOLID  
BRASS**



# **CLOTHING BAG ISSUE AND REQUIRED EQUIPMENT**

**FOR MALE ONLY**

# ALWAYS REQUIRED



**BERET  
WITH  
FLASH AND  
UNIT CREST  
1**



**NECKTIE  
, BLACK**



**UNDERSHI  
RT, WHITE**



**SOCKS,  
DRESS  
BLACK  
,  
NYLON**



**SHOES,  
OXFORD,  
BLACK**



**JR  
ENLISTED /  
NCO**

**ASU  
SLACKS,  
LIGHT BLUE  
or AG 489**



**ASU COAT, DARK  
BLUE or CLASS A  
COAT AG  
489/491  
(Properly fitted,  
clean, and  
presentable)  
WITH AWARDS  
AND  
DECORATIONS  
COMPLETE  
(Awards and  
decorations worn  
must match**

# **ALWAYS REQUIRED**



**COAT, BLACK  
ALL  
WEATHER**



**SHIRT,  
WHITE or  
AG 415,  
SHORT-  
SLEEVED**



**SHIRT, WHITE  
or AG 415,  
LONG-  
SLEEVED**



**BRASSGOL  
D RANK  
(SPC)  
PLACED  
ON THE  
WHITE  
SHIRT**



**BRASS GOLD  
RANK  
AFFIXED TO  
BLACK ALL  
WEATHER  
COAT**



**SHOULDER  
BOARDS  
(CPL, SGT)**



**BELT  
BLACK WEB  
WITH  
BRASS TIP  
AND SOLID  
BRASS**

# Regimental Crests



**Adjunct  
General**



**Chaplain**



**Chemical**



**Civil  
Affairs**



**Engineer**



**Finance**



**JAG**



**Military  
Intelligence**



**Medical  
Dept  
Corps**



**Military  
Police**



**Ordnance  
Corps**



**Quartermaster**



**Signal**



**Transportation**



**Psychological  
Operations**









**Acquisition  
Corps**

**RECOMMENDED WHILE  
ATTENDING BASIC  
LEADER COURSE**

**THEY ARE NOT  
REQUIRED**

**RECOMMENDED**

 <p><b>SUREFIRE FLASHLIGHT</b></p>	 <p><b>AVIATOR GLOVES or RFI ISSUED EQUIVALEN T</b></p>	 <p><b>INSECT REPELLANT (Summer months)</b></p>	 <p><b>LAUNDRY DETERGEN T</b></p>
 <p><b>M4</b></p>  <p><b>M16A2</b></p> <p><b>Extra MOLLE small arms attachments (for pens, flashlights, etc.)</b></p>	 <p><b>BABY WIPE S</b></p>	 <p><b>UNDERGARME NTS AND BRASSIERS 7 PAIR</b></p>	  <p><b>DRAWERS, COTTON, BROWN/ WHITE</b></p>
<p><b>ChapSti ck</b></p> 	 <p><b>ONE ADDITIONAL ACU VELCRO NAMETAPE (for computer workstation).</b></p>		



**NOTE:**

Beginning 01 July 2015, Soldiers will be authorized to wear the Army Combat Uniform (ACU) based on the Operational Camouflage Pattern. The various combinations of uniform items and ACU patterns Soldiers will be authorized to wear after 1 July 2015 until the full transition is complete on 1 October 2019. During the transition period, Soldiers will be authorized to wear uniforms based on three camouflage patterns. In that period, Soldiers will be authorized to wear uniforms based on three camouflage patterns: (1) Operational Camouflage Pattern (2) Operation Enduring Freedom Camouflage Pattern and (3) Universal Camouflage. After 30 September 2019, only ACUs (with new accessories) in the Operational Camouflage Pattern will be worn.



NOW

Today to 30 June 2015	
Uniform Name	Army Combat Uniform in Universal Camouflage Pattern
Camouflage Pattern	Universal Camouflage Pattern (UCP)
Headgear Camouflage Pattern	Universal Camouflage Pattern (UCP)
T-shirt Color	Sand
Belt Color	Sand
Boots Color	Sand
OCIE Camouflage Pattern	Universal Camouflage Pattern (UCP)

# Army Combat Uniform Summary of

During Transition

1 July 2015 to 30 September 2019			
Uniform Name	Army Combat Uniform in Universal Camouflage Pattern	Flame Resistant Army Combat Uniform in Operation Enduring Freedom Camouflage Pattern	Army Combat Uniform in Operational Camouflage Pattern
Camouflage Pattern	Universal Camouflage Pattern (UCP)	Operation Enduring Freedom Camouflage Pattern	Operational Camouflage Pattern
Headgear Camouflage Pattern	Universal Camouflage Pattern (UCP)	Operation Enduring Freedom Camouflage Pattern	Operational Camouflage Pattern
T-shirt Color	Sand	Sand or Tan 499	Sand or Tan 499
Belt Color	Sand	Sand or Tan 499	Sand or Tan 499
Boots Color	Sand	Sand or Coyote Brown	Sand or Coyote Brown
OCIE Camouflage Pattern	Universal Camouflage Pattern (UCP)	Universal Camouflage Pattern, Operation Enduring Freedom Camouflage Pattern, or Operational Camouflage Pattern; however, All components of OCIE ensembles will be of the same camouflage pattern	

1 July 2015 to 30 September 2019 is the uniform transition period. In this window, Soldiers will wear combinations of the three uniforms above as indicated, until the mandatory possession date of 1 October 2019 when they will wear the Army Combat Uniform in Operational Camouflage Pattern.

During Transition



NLT 1 Oct

1 October 2019 to TBD	
Uniform Name	Army Combat Uniform in Operational Camouflage Pattern
Camouflage Pattern	Operational Camouflage Pattern
Headgear Camouflage Pattern	Operational Camouflage Pattern
T-shirt Color	Tan 499
Belt Color	Tan 499
Boots Color	Coyote Brown
OCIE Camouflage Pattern	Operational Camouflage Pattern





# Universal Camouflage Pattern (UCP) Army Combat Uniform (ACU)

- UCP: Soldiers are currently authorized to wear the Universal Camouflage Pattern ACU. The wear-out date for the UCP ACU is 30 SEP 2019.

- Sand T-shirt color: For reference

- Sand belt color: For reference

- Tan boot color: For reference



**NOTE: Soldiers are not authorized to wear the Tan 499 T-shirt, Tan 499 belt, or the Coyote Brown boots with the Universal Camouflage Pattern.**

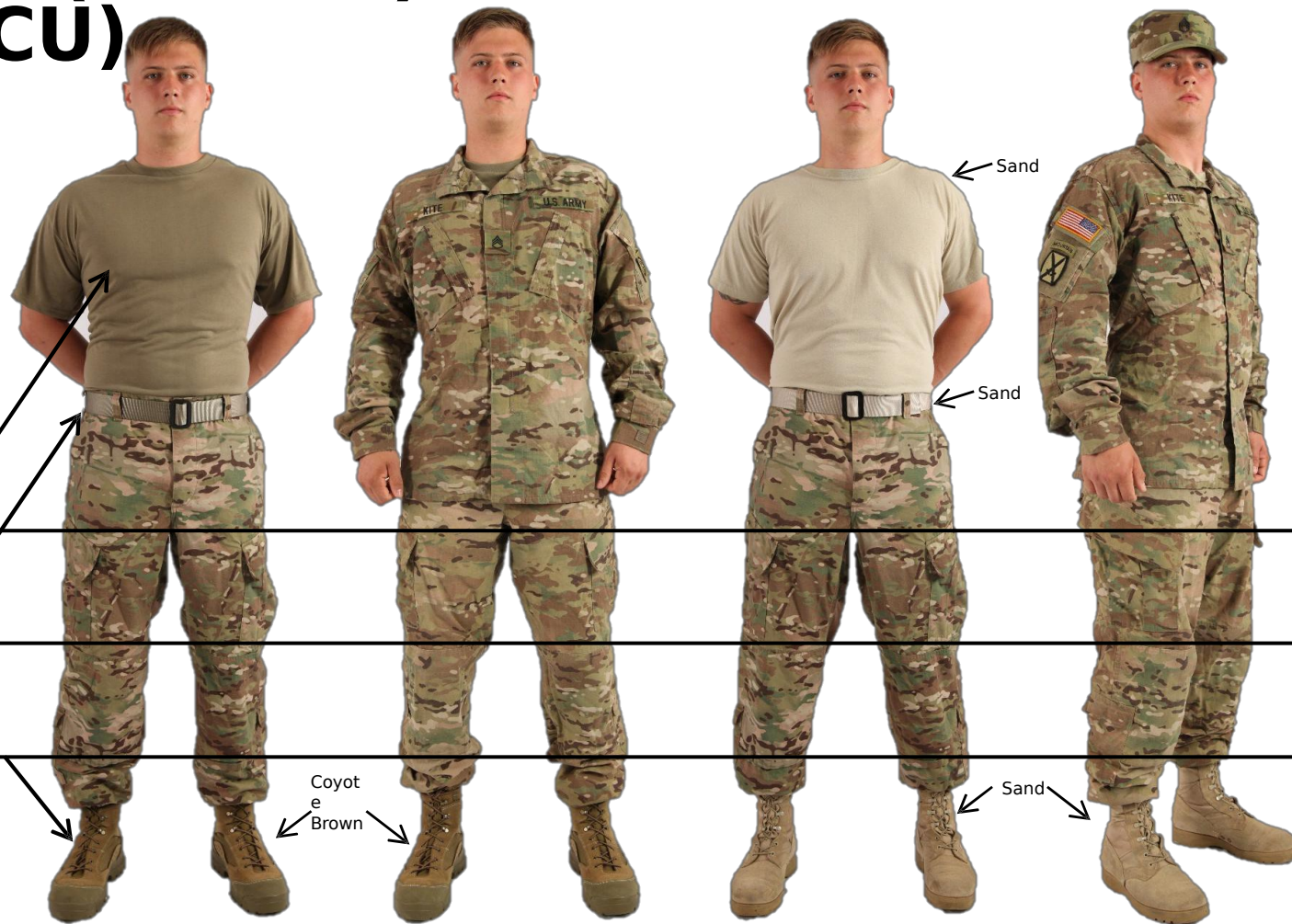




# Operation Enduring Freedom Camouflage Pattern (OEF-CP) Flame Resistant Army Combat Uniform (ACU)

- (OFF-CP): This pattern has been issued in Theater to Soldiers since 2010. Soldiers are authorized to wear the Operation Enduring Freedom Camouflage Pattern Flame Resistant ACU in garrison effective 1 July 2015.\*
- Soldiers are authorized to wear the sand or the Tan 499 T-shirt, sand or Tan 499 belt, and tan or Coyote Brown boots during the transition period which ends 30 SEP 2019.
- Tan 499 T-shirt color:  
Available starting July 2015.
- Tan 499 belt color:  
Available starting July 2015.
- Coyote Brown boot color:  
Available starting August 2015.

\*Previously granted exceptions to policy for wear of the OEF-CP flame resistant uniform outside of combat areas of operations remain in effect.



**NOTE: Soldiers may wear OEF-CP or Operational Camouflage Pattern OEF-CP Flame Resistant Army Combat Uniform and Operational Camouflage Pattern Army Combat Uniform**



# Operational Camouflage Pattern Army Combat Uniform (ACU)

- Soldiers are authorized to wear the Operational Camouflage Pattern ACU starting 1 July 2015. Sales will begin July 2015. Centralized issue for incoming Soldiers will begin January 2016 (2QFY16). Mandatory possession date is 1 October 2019.
- Soldiers are authorized to wear the sand or the Tan 499 T-shirt, sand or Tan 499 belt, and tan or Coyote Brown boots during the transition period which ends 30 SEP 2019.
- Tan 499 T-shirt color: Available starting July 2015.
- Tan 499 belt color: Available starting July 2015.
- Coyote Brown boot color: Available starting August 2015.



**NOTE: Soldiers may wear OEF-CP or Operational Camouflage Pattern OEF-CP Flame Resistant Army Combat Uniform and Operational Camouflage Pattern Army Combat Uniform**



# Operational Camouflage Pattern Army Combat Uniform Design Changes

## Upper Sleeve Pocket



### Upper Sleeve Pocket

Remove hook and loop closure  
Add zipper closure  
Change Friend or Foe cover

## Cargo Pocket



### Cargo Pocket

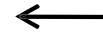
Remove cord and barrel lock

## Lower Leg Pocket



### Lower Leg Pocket Flap

Remove hook and loop closure Add one button closure



### Changes:

Army Combat Uniform  
Army Combat Uniform-Alternate

### Mandarin Collar

Remove hook and loop closure Remove Mandarin collar flap extension Replace with fold down collar design

### Upper Sleeve Pocket

Increase pocket length by one inch

### Elbow Patch

Remove internal elbow pads  
Remove hook and loop from elbow patches  
Retain double fabric reinforcement at elbow

### Sleeve Pen Pocket

Reduce pen pocket channels from three to two

### Trouser Waistband

Remove drawstring (ACU)

### Knee Patch

Remove internal knee pads  
Remove hook and loop from knee patches  
Retain double fabric reinforcement at knee